THE MELINE REPORT.

CONTINGENT TREASURY EXPENSES RESULT OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE CUSTODIAN'S DEPARTMENT-ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES IN THE APPOINTMENT OF THE CUSTODIAN AND IN PUR-

CHASES OF SUPPLIES.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—On May 5 last, J.

P. Meline, John Walker and W. H. Hills were appointed
a committee to examine the disbursements of the contingent expenses account of the Treasury Department.
On June 14 Secretary Windom called for a report covering the investigation up to and including that date.
This report, having never been published, was called for
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The Committee say that: "Owing to statements make
to us by the Chief Clerk, we have not made examination
of the accounts for stationery, but have confined our inquiries to accounts and expenditures under the appropriations for other contingent expenses." The attention
of the Secretary is called to various sections of the revised statutes prescribing the powers and duties of certain officers of the Department, in relation to the
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Section 3,709 of the Revised Statutes enacts: "All purchases and contracts for supplies or services in any of the Departments of the Government, except for personal services, shall be made by advertising a sufficient time previously for proposals respecting the same, when the public exigencies do not require the immediate delivery of the articles or the performance of the service. When immediate delivery or performance is required by the public exigency, the articles or service required may be procured by open purchase or one contract at the places and in the manner in which such articles are usually bought and sold, or such services engaged between individuals." The requirements of this section seem to have been adold, or such services engaged between individuals. The requirements of this section seem to have been neglected, and in many cases exorbitant prices have been paid. Our first step in making the examination was to take ninventory of all property in the storecome belong ing to the United States. Before doing this, however, we called f

tion for fuel, lights and water for public buildings. Con-tinuing, the report says:

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Your Committee find that in February, March, April,
May and June, 1850, bills were presented to this Department by J. Bradley Adams, of this city, for fity-two
dozen Woodruff file-holders, which bills, amounting to
\$502, were paid out of the appropriation for "tee, etc.;"
but that the file-holders, as paid for in such
hills, have never been delivered to this Department.
The attention of the "Custodian" has been called to this
matter, and he has refused to furnish any explanation,
stating that a personal explanation will be made to you.
We also find that in August and October, 1880, two bills
amounting to \$132 were presented by W. B. Reed's Sons
of this city, for twenty-two boxks of candles, which bills
were paid out of the appropriation for "gra, etc., 1881";
but the candles as paid for in such bills were not furrished. We have been informed by the "Custodian"
that these bills cover letton and sagar used
for lemonade for Secretary, Assistant Secretary and
Chief Clerk; and also a "certain lunch which was furnished in this building last summer, about the time of
the Chicago Convention." In regard to this statement
of the "Custodian," we would say that both Mr. Upton,
Assistant Secretary, and Mr. Power, Chief Clerk, have
stated to the Committee under oath that they had no
knowledge of the fact that the lunch was paid for out of
the public funds, but that they contributed out of their
means toward the cost of said lunch as reported to them
and believed it was all paid by private contribution.
Mr. Upton also stated that he at one time gave the
"Custodian" \$20 to pay for lemonade furnished his room.
Your Committee further find that in November, 1880,
and January, 1881, three bills, aggregating \$135.50 for
overcoats furnished drivers of the Department for blank,
and by the direction of the "Custodian" were made up
as for billiant cloth for covering deaks, and were paid out
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it was done so that accounting officers would not question the bills.

We further find that from July 1, 1878, fo May 4, 1881, waste paper and pasteboard of the Department was sold to the amount of \$5,092.66; that during said period no deposit was made in the Treasury on account of said saies, but the money received therefrom was paid to the "Custodian," who glates that he paid the cost of assorting out of the proceeds and kept the balance in his safe awaiting instructions as to what disposition should be made of it. Very soon after this fact was discovered by the Committee the attention of the Chief Clerk was called to the matter, and it was suggested that the money in the hands of the "Custodian" ought to be deposited in the Treasury without further delay. This was not done, however, until after the assorters were paid for their services during the month of May, 1881, when the sum of \$2,176.77 balance stated as on hand was deposited with the Treasurer of the United States.

Various other details of a less important character are cited in the report, and in conclusion the committee

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We are not at present prepared to submit any recom-mendations relative to the changes we think necessary in the system of making purchases and disposing of the same. We will say, however, that we think the system at present in vogue very loose, and liable to great abuse, and in our opinion it should be materially changed.

A EXAMPLES OF EXCESSIVE PAYMENTS.

Appended to the report are the following exhibits:

"A." Ten dollars per dozen has been paid for Woodruffs, file-loiders, when they could have been bought for
\$7.50 or less.

Five dollars each has been paid for Directories of the
District of Columbia, when, had competition been invited, they could have been bought for \$4.50 cach or
less.

vited, they could have been bought for \$450 cach or less.

Twelve dollars each has been paid for Webster's and Worcester's unabridged dictionaries, when they might have been bought for \$10 cach or less.

Twenty dollars each has been paid for Colton's Atlanes, when they might have been bought for \$18 cach or less. Other books of a miscellaneous character have been bought at regular retail rates, when a discount of at less 20 per cent could have been obtained clsewhere.

"B." All of the foregoing articles were purchased of J. Bradley Adams, of this city, who seems to have received nearly all orders for goods of this description.

The Department has been paying at the rate of \$250 per day for a horse, cart and driver; the usual price in the District is \$1.75 per day.

The person to whom this payment is made is employed in the Treasury Department.

Thirty cents per ton was paid for stowing coal furnished the Department for the cutrent (iscal) year, when the actual cost of stowing said coal was much less. The difference between the amount paid and the actual cost appears to have been paid to the Engineer of the Department, because, as has been stated to the Committee, his compensation is madequate for his services.

During the months of May, June and August, 1880, 175 copies of the "United States Government; Lamphere" were bought of George N. Lamphere at \$6 cach, when, as we are informed by a booksalier of this city, they could have been bought for \$250 cach with 20 per cent discount.

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An OFFICIAL EXPLANATION.

Communications from Assistant Secretary Upton covering the period during which he was Chief Clerk of the Department, and Major Power, the present Chief Clerk, accompany the report. Each of these refers in detail to the various statements of the Committee, and maintains that there was no neglect during their respective terms relative to making purchases after proper advertisement had been made and proposals received. They maintain that the records of the Department bear them out in this statement. Mr. Upton says:

"It should be remembered that a detailed statement of all expenditures made from the contingent fund of the Department is annually presented to Congress, and published. No complaints of improper or excessive expenditure of these amounts have been made by that body or by any of the committees charged with the supervision of the appropriations therefor, or by any of the deaiers competing for this trade, and I am confident that for many years the Department has, on the whole, obtained carpets, furniture and supplies at much lower rates than private parties have been able to obtain for like articles."

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tingent fund of the Department, which was under the immediate charge of a Custodian and under the general supervision of the Chief Clerk of the Department; and I appointed a committee to look into the matter, as had been the custom of the Department in such cases. The law, somewhat conflicting in its terms in relation to the relative duties of these two officers, will be found fully set forth in the report. I became convinced that certain irregularities and abuses existed in that branch of the service, and as I had some doubts as to the legality of the appointment of a custodian, I abolished the office June 17, 1881, and by general order of July I, 1881, reorganized the office. A copy of that order is herewith transmitted, from which it will appear that all the changes necessary to a complete and therough correction of the irregularities and abuses referred to have been adopted. If was my intention, as soon as my more pressing public duties would permit, to have pursued this general policy in other branches of the Treasury, by the appointment of competent committees to collect the necessary data on which to base proper action to secure economy and promote the best interests of the public service; but the assassination of the President suspended further action in that direction. Very respectfully,

WILLIAM WINDOM, Secretary of the Treasury.

AN APPEAL FOR MICHIGAN. ADDRESS OF THE MAYOR'S COMMITTEE TO THE PEOPLE OF THIS STATE-THE URGENT NEED OF

The executive committee of the Mayor's Michigan Fire Relief Committee met yesterday afternoon in the president's room of the Stock Exchange. The letter expected from Governor Jerome, of Michigan, arrived in the morning, giving important details of the Michigan State Relief Commission's work. The following address was prepared by the executive committee on the basis of the Governor's letter:

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To the People of the State of New York.

The committee appointed by the Governor of Michigan has this day informed the Mayor's Committee on Michigan Relief that the forest fires in Michigan have destroyed the houses and subsistance of 15,000 people, and burned out a district of 1,300 square miles. About twenty villages were wheel out of existence. Many of the people are now suffering from injuries and exposure. To feed and shelter these thousands, and maintain them in farming until they can reap next summer's crop, and become again self-supporting, will require more money than mass been or can be raised by ordinary exertions. Dating from the first there were nine or ten money than mass been or can be raised by ordinary exertions. Dating from the first there were nine or ten months provisions to be supplied. Allowing a quarter of a doi-lar a day aplece, and an average of \$50 aplece for clothing, fuel, biankets, tents, building materials nonselola furniture, farming implements and seed the argregate would be \$1,500,000. Firly dollars would certainty actiniculae necessary farming stock or medical upenses, not to speak of ordinary conforts. Only \$460,000 has been recoved in all, although it is understood that suilicient clothing has been contributed and provisions to last a few weeks longer. The whiter, not to mention the spring. The subscriptions can not exceed our brotherly duty even should they exceed the amount named.

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William Dowd, treasurer of the Relief Fund, re-cerved yester any subscriptions amounting to \$1,071.02, making the total amount received by him \$111,9.39.6. The church contributions and large subscriptions were:

WANTED—Nicely furnished second floor

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THE COURTS.

DAMAGES LAID AT \$25,000. The trial of a suit, brought in behalf of

Michael Raudall, age seven, against John J. Hardy, to recover \$25,000 damages for personal injuries, is in progress in the Brooklyn City Court. The boy, it is atleged, was crippled for life in the street adjoining the de-fendant's property, at Third-ave. and Twenty-sixth-st., by a large gate, on which some boys were swinging, full-ing upon him.—According to medical testimony the boy, mg upon him. According to menical estimony the boy, who was treated at 8t. Peter's Hospital, is suffering from comminuted fracture of the spine and will never be able to waik. The defence sets up that the gate was properly hung and that a dozen boy's were swinging upon it, among them being the plaintiff. It is further alleged that the boy's back was injured long before the time alleged in the complaint. The case will be continued to-day.

THE COURT OF APPEALS. ALBANY, Oct. 24 .- In the Court of Appeals ALBANY, Uct. 24.—In the Court of Appenis to-day the following business was transacted:

No. 380—Helm C. Moore, respondent, agt. Henry A. Godsden, appellant—Argued. No. 381—John Parroit, appellant, agt. Joseph Sawyer, respondent—Argued. No. 383—Margaret Cosgrove, administratrix, etc., appellant, agt. the New-York Central and Hudson River, Railroad Company, respondent—Argued. No. 282—Augustus Bocks and another, trustees, agt. Henry H. Hathorn and others—Append disquised without costs. No. 385—Eleanor, respondent, agt. the Brooklyn Improvement Company, appellant—Argument unfinished. in rouse. No. 385-Eleanor, respondent, agt. the Brooklyn in provement Company, appellant-Argument ununished. The following is the day calendar for Tuesday, Ocher 25;

Nos. 394, 314, 321, 340, 372, 316, 296, 399,

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LETTER FROM MR. WINDOM.

The letter of the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting the Meline report, says:

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Marine Court—Trial Term—Part I.—Held by Hawes, J. Court opens at 10 a.m. Nos. 5629, 5568, 5657, 5624, 5908, 5898, 4647, 5998, 6212, 6394, 6395, 6300, 6395, 6300, 6402, 6403, 6406, 6406, 6411, 6418.

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GENERAL SESSIONS—Gildersleeve, J.—The People agt. Frederick Jones, Burglary: Thmothy Collins and Charles Wynn, grand larceny; Panny Martens, grand larceny; Mary McDowd, grand larceny; John Chourke, Thomas Hogan and James Hennessy, grand larceny, John McAleer, felonious assault and battery; Hobert Hawtherne, grand larceny; Louis Polilock, forgery: Thomas W. Cowley, false pretences; Charles Edwards, crime against nature.
PART II.—Cowring, J.—The People agt. John McCusker, homietde; Luigi chicetti and Antonio Tozzo, homietde; James Tracy and Joseph Carr, Lurgiary; Joseph Morrissey, burglary; Jeorge Von Hunnitz, grand larceny; William H. Smith, petit larceny; Martin Morritz, larceny from person.

EXTERNAL USE OF CASTOR OIL.—The Lon-don Medical Journal gives reports from various prac-titioners who have found purgative results follow the titioners who have found purgative results follow the inunction of castor oil. One writer states that he has frequently applied this oil to the abdomen, under spongiopiline, or other waterproof material, in cases where the usual way of administering by the mouth seemed undesirable, and with the most satisfactory consequences. In a case of typhoid fever, also, half an ounce of castor oil was applied in this manner, under a hot water fomentation, the effect of this being as represented, to relieve the constipation and tympanitic distention that had been present, without undue purging or irritation of the bowels.

Board and Rooms.

A second-floor of three rooms, private bath-room, with private table; or without board. Rooms for gentlemen without board; references, 30 East 20th-st. BOARDING DIRECTORY.—Ladies having rooms, with or without beard, to rent, will do well to register at 1,252 liroadway. City and Country. No charge unless boarders are farmished.

INFTH-AVE., No. 253.—Beautiful rooms, with or without private table; by the season or year; sue-exceptionable references.

MADISON-AVE., 144.—Elegant floor with private table and special attendance, also handsome suites and rooms with board, strictly first-class accommodations.

12 GRAMERCY PARK.—Desirable rooms, en

20 GRAMERCY PARK and 86 Irving Place. 21 EAST 22D-ST.—A large front room to \$18 a week for two. First-class reference.

22D-ST., 110 EAST.—Large and pleasant gentlemen and wives, or two gentlemen reference required. 37 EAST 20TH-ST.—Furnished rooms with

38TH-ST., 40 EAST,—Superior suite of apartments, newly furnished, with private table. 119 EAST 21ST-ST., Gramerey Park, -- De-board also given, references.

West Side.

POARD and ROOMS.—Beautiful connecting nearly furnished; second-floor; every convenience; counte or singly; near clevated station; family bound or nrivate table; references, local Lexington-ave.

PEFINED French family having one square room to spare would like to rent it, with board, to a gentleman who would appreciate the privacy of the family and the home conforts. Address A. B., Box 30, Tribune Uptown Office, 1,238 Broadway.

4 WEST 29TH-ST.—First-class accommoda-tion for families or single gentlewee, with or without private table; arrangements made for the season; location very desirable; references.

5 TH-AVE... 47th-st. and 51st-st., near 5th-ave.—Elegant accommodations for families with private tables. Only houses giving references registered at Everett Bears Directory, 74 West 35th-st.

18 WEST 11TH-ST.—Rooms to rent to a and first-class attendance.

107 GREENWICH-AVE.-Furnished rooms TII WASHINGTON-PLACE, second door west of 6th ave. - A private family will let de-traine, noar and well-turnished receive to gentleman; good board next door; references extenance.

236 WEST 21ST-ST.—Third-story room with owner.

Board and Rooms Wanted.

Pacific Coast to the extention are sold instructions to bidpublic acryice there.

Blank proposals and specifications, and instructions to bidders, and any further information that may be dealered, will be
turnished by either of the Depot Quartermasters mentioned,
cnapplication.

Proposals should be addressed to either the Depot Quarter
master at Philadelphia, New York City, Jeffersonville or san
Francisco, and be endorsed Proposals for Lamps or whatever
is bid for.

D. H. RUCKER, Ass't Q. M. Gen., U.S. A.
In charge of Depot.

PROPOSALS FOR PLASTERING.

OFFICE OF BUILDING FOR STATE,
WAR AND NAVY DEPARTMENTS,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. - 0, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS for plastering in the North Wing of
the Building for State, War and Navy Departments in this
City, comprising of about 20,000 square yards of three-coat
work and \$1,000 running feet of Enriched Moulded Cornice
and Stucco Work, to be executed during the coming winter,
will be received at this office until 12 m. of November 19,
1881, and opened immediately thereafter in presence of
bidders.

PROPOSALS for SLATING.

OFFICE OF SUPERVISING ARCHITECT,

TERASCRY DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19, 1881.

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on the 1th day of November, 1881, for slating the roots of the U. S. Barge Office at New-York City, N. Y., in accordance with drawings and specification, copies of which, and any additional information, may be had on application at this office or the office of the superintendent.

JAMES G. HILL,

Supervising Architect.

PROPOSALS TO MASONRY AND FOUN-DATION CONTRACTORS.

OFFICE OF THE HENDERSON BRIDGE CO., LOUISINELE, KY., Oct. 5, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until hoon of Saturday, November 5, 1881, for the foundations and masonry th one contract; of the Railway Bridge over the Ohio River, at Henderson, Ken-ucky. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Consulting Engineer, corner 11th and Oldham-sts., Louisville, Ky. The Tight is reserved to reject any or all bids. F. DE PUNIAK, Chief Engineer.

F. W. VAUGHAN, Consulting Engineer.

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SALE of Obselete and Unserviceable Fire arms of Foreign Moulds and Manufacture.

U. S. ORDNANCE AORNEY, 140 Greene-st., F. O. Box 1,SIL. U. S. ORDNANCE AORNEY, VOIK CITY, Sept. 26, 1861. SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, to be made on the Catalogues, will be received at this Agency for the sale of Obsolete and Unserviceable Foreign Fire Arms, such as English Enhelds, French, Austrian, Frussian, Bavarian, Belgian and Germap Carbines, Rilles, Muskets and parts of arms stored at the various Arsenals in the Culted States. Bids will be opened at 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, October 26, 1881. For lists of arms in detail, location, terms and conditions of saie and instructions to bidders, see catalogue, which can be procured at ordnance Office. War Department, Washington, D. C., or at this agency and at the Arsenals where stored. The quantities as snumerated in the catalogues are approximate. Bidders will state explicitly the kind and quantity of arms bid for and the proposed price in the columns prepared in the catalogue. Deliveries will only be made at the place of storage. The United States reserves the right to reject any call bids to carrie of bids which are not descend statements.

INYO CONSOLIDATED MINING AND MILLING COMPANY,
Mines and Mill, Luyo County, Cal.
CAPITAL, 8500,000, PAR VALUE, 85,
OFFICE, 80, 58 BROADWAY, N. Y.

MINES AND MINING.

MONDAY, Oct. 24-P. M. Depression was the rule at the Mining Stock Ex-changes to-day, and the exceptions were not to the extent of advances, but a simple holding to previous quotations. Lower prices from San Francisco undoubtedly exerted some influence upon the market, although it is difficult to perceive how the finding of the expected bonanza at Virginia City, Nevada, or the expected bonanza at Virginia City. Nevada, or the failure to find it, affects the productiveness of mines in California, Colorado or Utah. State Lines were lower: 2 and 3 down to 3.75-23 80, 1 and 4 to 78 cents, and Oriental and Miller to 79-28 ocents. The Comstocks were neglected, but Consolidated Virginia was steady at about 2.30, and California declined to 76 cents. Union Consolidated declined to 13-5, and Sierra Nevada to 14. Robinson Consolidated was steady at 13-4, and Iron Silver at 1.85. Among the California gold mine stocks, Gold Stripe declined to 96 cents and closed at \$1.

The Vizina Consolidated Company has declared a dividend of ten cents per share, payable November 1. Transfer books close October 26, and reopen November 2.

N. Y. MINING STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. SECOND CALL-13 O'CLOCK M.

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level, and 50 tons from third level. During the week 2.450 tons of ore were milled. The north end tunnel is in 225 feet and the south header, second level, is in 35 feet.

Barcelona superintendent telegraphed October 20: "Ore-body in bottom of winze increasing in size; richest ever found in Barcelona mine. Rushing the completion of mill."

A Silver Reef, Utah, dispatch to the Mining Associated Press says: "At the Stormont Company's mines work goes on with great regularity. The claims now being worked are the Buckeye, Last Chance. Savage and Stormont. The first three named are worked mainly through the new Savage shaft. At the depth of 200 feet in this shaft a crosscut of 180 feet to the vein connects with the third level. This level is now opened 220 feet north and 720 feet south from the crosscut, and has developed good ore bodies in both directions. It is being pushed south at the rate of twenty-live feet per week, and will zoon be under the old Last Chance ore body of the upper levels, which has been one of the best yet found in the mines. C-nsiderable ore is still found in the old first and second levels and hoisted through the Buckeye shaft. The Savage shaft ents the vein at a dept of 250 feet, and the fourth level now extends 230 feet north and 236 feet south from this point. It is being pushed 20 feet per week in both directions and encounters the same ore bodies that are found in the third level. Stoping has not yet been started on this level. The daily output of ore from both shafts is 50 to 55 tons, yielding \$1,000 and \$1,200 bullion. The bullion product for Sep ember was \$36,886 37 assay value. At the Stormont mine work was lately resumed and developments are very promising.

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New York, Oct. 21, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Sombrerets Mining Company in pursuance of a resolution of the trustees of said company that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Sombrets Mining Company liberty of the stockholders of the Sombrets Mining Company will be held on Wednesday, the John day of November, 1881, at the offices of the company and day, for the purpose of vorting on a proposition of the company from the purpose of voting on a proposition of said company from five million company in the company of the purpose of voting on a proposition of said company from five million declars each, to two million two hundred thousand abares of the divided into one hundred thousand hares of the charty-five dollars each, to two million two hundred thousand abares of the object of the meeting.

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the election of seven directors to serve for the essuing Year,
and for the transaction of such other business as may come
before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company,
No. 36 Nassan-st., New-York, on Saturday, November 1,
1881, at 12 o'clock noon.
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